

**CANDIDATE FOR MEMBER OF THE STATE ASSEMBLY
63rd DISTRICT**

NAME: MARK WESTWOOD, Democrat

AGE: 43

OCCUPATION: Market Manager

After 38 years of incumbency by the same party, it's time for a "new voice" to represent the 63rd AD. I am not a career politician; I want to bring about positive change in Sacramento.

We must stand against ineffective immigration policies that are impacting our state. We must protect jobs through sensible, consistent immigration policies that reflect compassion. We must be tough on crime and strongly support our public safety employees. Our children deserve a well-rounded education that includes fine arts programs.

I support decent wages for our working families, balanced with relief to our employers from out of control workers compensation insurance premiums. I will work for affordable, quality healthcare for our seniors, our 850,000 uninsured children, and our working Californians; that doesn't break the back of small businesses. I will fight for cleaner, alternative transportation that reduces commute times, protects our environment, and provides relief at the pump.

I believe in giving back to my community. I learned these values from my mother, a teacher, and from my father's example of military service. They taught me honesty; integrity, diversity, and respect make our world a better place. I've applied these principles while working on city commissions, non-profit boards, my church, and community service organizations.

My father's grave is inscribed with WW II, Korea, Vietnam and Purple Heart. He sacrificed to protect our country--in his honor, and in the honor of all veterans, it's my turn to fight for those values at home. More info at www.Westwood4abetterway.com
